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13	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) CR 17-00533 EMC
14	Plaintiff,	PROPOSED ORDER EXCLUDING TIME FROM FEBRUARY 13, 2019 TO MAY 15, 2019
15	V.)
16	JONATHAN JOSEPH NELSON, ET AL,))
17	Defendants.))
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19	On February 13, 2019, defendants Jonathan Joseph Nelson, Raymond Michael Foakes, Russell	
20	Allen Lyles, Jr., Jeremy Daniel Greer, Brian Wayne Wendt, Russell Taylor Ott, Damien David Cesena,	
21	Brian Allen Burke, David Salvatore Diaz, III, and Merle Frederick Hefferman and plaintiff United	
22	States of America appeared before the Court for a status. Defendant Christopher Ranieri's presence was	
23	waived, but his counsel appeared. The parties reported on the status of discovery of electronic device	
24	materials, discovery related to search warrants executed in the case, and the government's protocol for	
25	determining whether it will seek the death penalty for the defendants who have been charged with death	
26	eligible offenses. The Court also heard argument on defendant Nelson's motion to revoke the order of	
27	detention, and ordered defendant Nelson detained. The Court set a further status for May 15, 2019 at	
28	1:30 p.m.	
	[PROP] ORDER EXCLUDING TIME	

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Based on the representations of counsel and for good cause shown, the Court finds that time is excludable between February 13, 2019 and May 15, 2019, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(iv), on the basis that the ends of justice served by the continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and defendants in a speedy trial, and because failure to grant a continuance would deny defendants' counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. The Court also finds that the case is complex based on the number of defendants and the nature of the prosecution, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(ii).

Therefore, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the matter is set before this Court on May 15, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. for a further status, and that the time between February 13, 2019 and May 15, 2019 shall be excluded from computation under the Speedy Trial Act. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B)(iv).

DATED: February 21, 2019

HON. EDWARD M. CHEN United States District Judge